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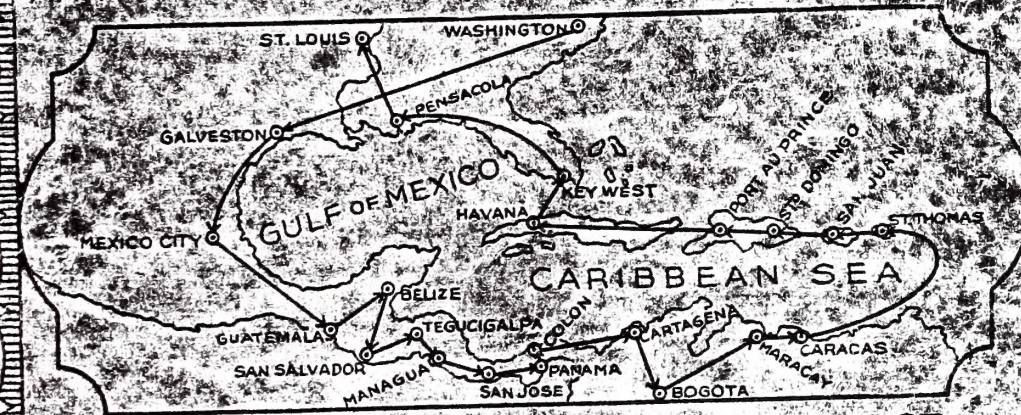

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DIARY of Wm G. DeGolyer.

Our Son Earl George DeGolyer was born August 27. 1924. at Hazelhurst Pa. Time, Twenty minutes after Seven O'clock, P. M.. Weight at birth seven & a quarter pounds. "Nurse." Mrs. Norman Sickler of Hazelhurst. Pa. "Doctor," Howard Cleveland Mt. Jewett, Pa.

Oct. 12. 1924.

Earl George DeGolyer was Baptized at Hazelhurst, Pa. by Father Gleason. God Father," George Reid, Hazelhurst, Pa God Mother," Irene McCrady Hazelhurst.

Jan. 24. 1925.

Weight of Earl 14 lbs. Age 5 months Earl cut finger next to thumb on left hand at age of five months. It was a pretty bad cut.
Earl cut first teeth at the age of

five months.

May 2, 1925.

Carl started creeping for the first time. Weight at eight months 19 lbs.

Aug. 30, 1925.

Carl walked alone for the first time.

Nov. 16, 1924.

Buried Paul Keisler of Hazelhurst, Pa. at Smethport Pa.

Pallbearers. Kenneth Worrell, John Worrell, George Reid, James Locke, Leo Griscoll, Wm DeGolyer.

Priest. Father Gleason of Mt. Jewett, Pa.

Driver of Pallbearer cars. Willard Paulson of Mt Jewett, Pa. and J. H. Walker of Hazelhurst, Pa.

Weather was cold but not any snow.

Oct. 1924.

Built concreat road through the town of Hazelhurst, Pa. Built by Wm Knickenburger of Buffalo, N.Y.

Nov. 26, 1924.

Moved from up over Fox ice cream parlor to 31 Harold St. or lower end of Hazelhurst. Stayed with Mr and Mrs. Norman Warfle over night.

Nov. 27, 1924.

Thanksgiving Day, The following named people had dinner with us. Mr. Milton Raymond, Miss Celia DeGolyer, Mr Fred DeGolyer "Brother". Mr. + Mrs. Harry Hiner and children. Mary Hiner, Harry Hiner, Albert Hiner. We had a duck dinner. Got the ducks "2" from Mrs. Ambrose Robinson of Hazelhurst.

Dec. 12, 1924.
Window Glass factory at Mt. Jewett
shut down to set blocks at 4. P. M.
I was on the four O'clock shift.
Dec. 18, 1924.
Resumed work at 4. P. M.
Dec. 3. 1924.
State road from Hazelhurst, Pa. to
Mt. Jewett. Pa. opened for traffic.
Dec. 20, 1924.
Bought home in Hazelhurst, Pa.
From S. C. Beers. Amount Five
hundred and Twenty five dollars.
Thursday Dec. 25, 1924.
Christmas Day.
Nov. 27, 1924.
Mrs Paul D. Ballard of Kane Pa.
fell on ice and broke her leg by
ankle. Had to be taken to Kane

Summit Hospital.

Dec. 21, 1924.

Cold day with some snow on the ground. Alice is making aprons for her Mother + Sister of Christmas presents.

Jan. 24, 1925.

Eclipse of the sun. Time, Ten minutes after Nine O'clock A. M. We seen it from our kitchen window in our home at Hazelhurst, Pa. Maxine DeGolyer 21 months old. Earl DeGolyer 5 months old. Mrs Alice DeGolyer 20 years 11 months old. Wm DeGolyer 24 years 8 months old. Pearl Warfle 14 years 11 months old.

Feb. 28, 1925.

Dwelling houses of S. C. Bere and J. H. Walker burned down.
Fire started about a quarter to five o'clock, A. M., Mt. Jewett fire department aided in putting out the fire.
Mrs. Crouth's house was partly destroyed. I helped to fight the fire. It sure was an awful hot one as we could hardly get up close enough to put water on it.

Feb. 20, 1925.

Glass factory at Mt. Jewett shut down for cold repairs at 4. P. M.
I finnished up on #5 oven at 5:30 P.M.

Feb. 21, 1925.

Alice, I and children, Maxine and Earl went to Kane Pa. for a visit with my sister and Brother in Law Mr. & Mrs. Paul D. Ballard. Had a very good time and left for home on Kane, Mt. Jewett bus at 1:30 P.M. Arrived in Mt. Jewett at 2 P.M. Visited with Mother till 6 P.M. Had supper with her. Got taxi at Mt. Jewett to bring us home for sum of $1.50.

Feb. 28, 1925.

I went to Kane to get work but did not get any. So I have to look some where else.

Mar. 4. 1925.

Heard Calvin Coolidge take the Oath of Office as president of the United States over Radio for the first time in history. At the home of Mrs Bertha Moon in Hazelhurst. Pa.

Mar. 7. 1925.

Left Mt. Jewett Pa. at 2:A.M. for Arnold, Pa. Arrived in Arnold at 10:30 A.M. Got sleeping room at Arnold Hotel. Got meals at Arnold restaurant. Carl H. Johnson and I had the same room. I went to work flattening Mar. 19 1925. at One A.M. Finished working at Arnold factory Mar. 13. 1925. at Nine A.M. Left Arnold at 8 A.M. Sat. Mar. 14. 1925. Arrived in

Hazelhurst 5:30 P.M. Mar. 14. 1925.
Name of men I went to Arnold
with. Earl H. Johnson, Charlie
Croisant, Charlie Hudson, Glen
Smith, John Smith, Sam Camiolo

Mar. 17. 1925.

Went to work at 7:A.M. doing
yard work at the American
window glass factory at Kane Pa.
I am riding to and from work
with Leo O'Driscoll on his Ford
speeder. I am getting 40¢ an hour.
Ten hours a day.

April. 11. 1925.

Started to work on State road
between Hazelhurst, Pa and
Mt. Jewett, Pa. Payed 40¢ an hour.

April. 12. 1925.

Easter Sunday. Was at our home in Hazelhurst, Pa. My Mother was down from Mt. Jewett and had dinner with us.

April. 19. 1925.

My Sister Mrs Harry Hines has been confined to her bed with sickness for the past week.

April. 18. 1925.

Sister Celia from Kane Pa. and eight friends, three girls and five boys nine in all came in about nine P.M. and gave us a surprise call. We danced and had a fine lunch. Party broke up about midnight.

May. 1. 1925.

Could not work on State road on account of rain and snow.

May. 2. 1925.

Could not work. Rain and snow.

May. 3. 1925.

Fair day with a cold wind blowing Alice and I went to church.

May. 15. 1925.

Grandpa Reid, Aunt Julia, Aunt Maggie and Uncle Elis came to see us. They were here for just a few hours. It was the first time Maxine and Carl ever seen their Great Grand Father. Mother came down from Mt. Jewett with them. They had a car. I was working on the State road and only had a chance to talk to them for a few min..

May. 25. 1925.

About a quarter of an inch of snow fell in the early morning. Got to work on state road one hour late. It has been cold all day.

July. 12. 1925, Sunday.

Lonnie Wulholland of Hazelhurst Pa. died about One P.M. Buried Wed. July. 15, 1925.

July. 25. 1925.

Completed work on State road. I worked right up to the last day. $332.80 Amount earned on state road for summer of 1925.

Aug. 15. 1925.

Nadine was taken sick with Infantile paralysis.

Aug. 16, 1925.

Born to Mr. + Mrs. Paul Ballard a Son.
Name John Allen Ballard.

Aug. 24, 1925.

Window glass factory at Mt Jewett
started. I started on four O'clock shift.

Nov. 26, 1925

We had Thanksgiving dinner with
Mr. + Mrs. Ray Bill of Hazelhurst.
Those present, Hellen Bills, Ray Bills,
Donald Bills. Howard Bills. Alice
DeGolyer, Wm DeGolyer. Maxine
DeGolyer. Earl DeGolyer.
A good time was enjoyed by all.
We had a chicken dinner. I was
on the four O'clock shift.

Dec. 12. 1925.

Received kitchen cabinet from A. O. Lantz of Mt. Jewett. Pa. Also one rocking chair and dishes.

Alice got one tooth pulled one filled at Mt. Jewett dentist.

Lost midnight turn Sat. to repair back of factory tank.

Dec. 13, 1925.

Cold and snowing a little.

I went to Ten Thirty Mass.

Alice is making apple pies as I have to go to work on four O'clock shift.

Dec. 12, 1925.

Alice, I and children went to a Birthday party on Harry Himes. Sr. He was Thirty three years old.

Dec. 25. 1925. Hazlhurst. Pa.
Christmas Day and very cold and stormy. We stayed at home for our dinner. Brother Fred was with us. In the afternoon we went to sister Evelyn's home for a couple hours visit. Got through work at Mt. Jewett glass factory Dec. 24th. at four P. M. Went back to work Dec. 27th. at midnight. Sister Celia came over from Kane Pa. and Mother Raymond came down from Mt. Jewett.

Year 1931.

Feb. 1931.

Tore down Berney Bond bottle factory at Hazelhurst. Pa.

Feb. 21. 1931.

I am one of the many unemployed at this writing. I went to Mt. Jewett and back this morning. Weather is cold with quite a bit of snow on the ground.

Mar. 7. 1931. Sat.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Lang and son Marcel spent the night with us. Pearl and Alice went to dance here in town. Marcel and I stayed home.

Mar. 8. 1931. Sunday.

Snowing very hard. The worst snow storm of the winter. Stayed home all day.

Mar. 9. 1931. Mon.

Lawrence Himes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Himes was born at 3:32 P. M. In home at Hazelhurst, Pa. Doctor present. Dr. Nelson of Mt. Jewett. Nurse present. Mrs. George Carey of Hazelhurst. Pa. Others present Harry Himes, "Father." Mrs. Wm DeFolger, "Aunt."

Mar. 9. 1931.

Buried Mr Mike Fields of Hazelhurst. In Catholic cemetery at ~~Hazelhurst~~ Mt. Jewett. Pa.

Mar. 15. 1931. Sunday.

Mother Raymond, Sister Charlotte and son Jackie drove over from Warren and had dinner with us to day.

Hazelhurst Pa. Mar. 17. 1931. Tuesday.
Harvy Himes and I moved Mother Raymonds furniture from Mrs Fields house to Mike Connors barn.

Mar. 24. 1931. Tuesday.
Went down to Warren with Doc Heath for a few day visit with Charlotte to look for work. Did not find any work.

Mar. 27. 1931. Fri. Warren Pa.
Charlotte took me to Gowanda N.Y. to look for work. Did not find any. Had dinner with Mr David Reid and children. Jackie was with us. Left Gowanda at ten minutes to four. P.M. Arrived in Hazelhurst at 6:10 P.M. Charlotte and Jackie stayed here over night.

Mar. 28. 1931.

Charlotte left for home this morning I rode as far as Mt. Jewett with her. Asked at tannery for work. Did not get any. Got ride back home with Emmon Dippo.

April. 10. 1931. Friday.

Had a big fire in Hazel hurst. Started in pile of carton boxes in partly torn down wharf house of old bottle factory. Sped over ground burning dry grass for a half mile. Burned a couple old houses for Bert Crandall. Had fire Co. from Mt. Jewett and Smethport. Town men helped as much as they could. I got wet good and had to change all my clothes.

Rained in afternoon which helped a lot to keep it from spreading.

April. 10. 1931. Friday.
Old Fritz Block of Hazelhurst. Pa. died at ten thirty P. M. Died of Pneumonia. Buried Mon. P. M. April. 13. 1931.

April. 13. 1931. Monday.
I went to Gowanda N. Y. with Clyde Page. We went in his car. Arrived in Gowanda at 10:30. A. M.

April. 25. 1931. Saturday.
Left Gowanda at 9:30 A. M. My Cousin Constance Witt drove me home in car. Aunt Julia and Constance's two children Howard and Dorthy included party. Arrived in Hazelhurst 11:45 A. M.
I stayed that night with my family on the Andrews farm.
Left Andrews farm and came home Mon. A. M. April. 27. 1931.

April. 28. 1931. Tuesday.
I went up to Mt. Jewett to look for work did not get any.

May. 4. 1931. Monday.
I started working in tannery at Gowanda N.Y.

June. 14. 1931. Sunday.
Spending week end with my family. Have to go back to Gowanda to day at 6 P.M.

July. 2. 1931. Thursday.
Left Gowanda at 8:40. P.M. to go to Hazelhurst. Pa. on bus.

July. 4. 1931. Sat. Hazelhurst. Pa.
We all stayed at home. It has been a nice warm day. Had chicken dinner

Perrysburg. N.Y. Sept. 6. 1931. Sunday.
We moved from Hazelhurst. Pa.
at 12:30. P.M. We eat our last dinner
at Mr. + Mrs. Bert Kymer.
We went in to our new home Mon.
Sept. 7. 1931. "Labor Day."
Sept. 10. 1931
I passed driving test for first time in
N.Y. state.

Hazelhurst. Pa. Sept. 20. 1931. Sunday.
Philip. A. Hutton of Hazelhurst. Pa. died.

Perrysburg. N.Y. Sept. 26. 1931. Sunday.
Left at 7:30. A.M. and motored to Hazelhurst. Pa.
Arrived back home at 8:15. P.M.

Perrysburg, N.Y. Nov. 15. 1931. Sunday.
Mrs Norman Warfle, Daughter Mildred and Son Merle motored here from Hazel-Hurst, Pa. with Mr. & Mrs. Marcel Lang and Son Marcel Jr.

Perrysburg. N.Y. Oct. 22. 1931. Sunday.
I put on new tires from Sears, Roebuck and Co. at 5 P.M. Car Mileage when tires where put on, 19201 miles.
I worked at tannery in Gowanda to day.

Perrysburg. N.Y. Nov. 26. 1931. Thursday.
We left here at 6:20 A.M. and motored to Hazel Hurst, Pa. We eat dinner with Alice's Mother, Mrs. Norman Warfle. Arrived back here at 9:45 P.M.

Perrysburg. N.Y. Dec. 25. 1931. Friday.
Christmas Day and we stayed at home. Did not have any company. We had a little snow for Xmas. It snowed the night befor Xmas.

Perrysburg. N.Y. Dec. 31, 1931. Thursday.
I worked all day in Tannery at Gowanda N.Y.

Year of 1932.

Perrysburg N. Y. Jan. 1. 1932. Friday.
I worked all day in Tannery at Gowanda N. Y. I worked with Ed Sully Machinist from New York City.
We did not go any where to visit.

Perrysburg. N.Y. Feb. 13. 1932.
We left here at 6. O'clock. P. M. and motored to Hazel Hurst. Pa. Arrived at Hazel Hurst with out any trouble at 9 O'clock. P. M.
Left Hazel Hurst at 3. O'clock P. M. Sunday. Feb. 14. 1932. Stoped at Marcel Lowlys at New City Pa. and brought Pearl and Son Junior home with us. We arrived home at 8:25. O'clock. P. M. All O.K. and right side up.

Perrysburg. N.Y. Mar. 18. 1932. Wed.
Had valves ground in car. Cost $4.50.

Perrysburg. N.Y. Mar. 24. 1932. Thur.
We have called to Warren Pa. to see my Mother who was sick with pneumonia and was not expected to live. We left Warren Sat. Mar. 26/1932 for home. Front right wheel came off car on way home. No one was hurt. I fixed wheel and came on home.

Mar. 25. 1932. I took Harry, Evelyn and Lebia home from Warren Pa. Freddie was with me and he came back to Warren with me.

Perrysburg, N.Y. April. 13. 1932. Wed.
Maxine 9th birthday. It is snowing and blowing hard. Snow is about one ft. deep.

May. 11, 1932.
21391 miles. changed oil.

April. 19. 1932.
Brother Fred and Frances Stodard where married.

Perrysburg. N.Y. May. 28. 1932. Sat.
We left here at 6:45 O'clock and motored to Hazel hurst. Pa. Stayed all night at Ray Bills home. Brought Mother back home with us Sun. evening.

Perrysburg. N.Y. June 19. 1932. Sunday.
We went to Sunset Bay N.Y. for the afternoon. We left at noon and got back at 4 P.M. Mother Raymond was along with us. We eat our dinner at the beach. It was our first visit to Sunset Bay.

Perrysburg. N.Y. July 4. 1932. Monday.
I worked all day at the Moench tannery Sowanda N.Y. as watchman. In the evening we all went to state asylum and watched the fire works My Mother was with us.
It rained all morning. Afternoon and evening was fair but cold.

Perrysburg. Aug. 18. 1932. Thurs.
Bought two new Pathfinder tires.
Milage on car 22997

Perrysburg. N.Y. Nov. 3. 1932. Thurs.
We received Philco radio. Seven tub low
Boy at Eleven. A.M. From Everheart of
Dayton. N.Y.

Perrysburg. N.Y. Nov. 24. 1932. Thanksgiving Day
I worked all day as gate watchman at
Munch tannery Gowanda. N.Y. Six. A.M. to
Six P.M. The rest of the family stayed at
home. We had a chicken dinner at 6:30 P.M.
Wed. Nov. 30. 1932. Fair and warm. I worked
with Brown's gang on old store building.

Perrysburg. N.Y. Dec. 25. 1932. Christmas Day.
I worked all day at Munch tannery
Gowanda N.Y. The rest of the family stayed
at home. Earl was sick with a bad cold.
There was not any snow any where. It
was a very warm day. The first
Christmas I ever seen in this part of
the country with out any snow.
I worked as watchman at tannery
6. a. m. to 6. P. M. Got flat tire on way to
work. I fixed it and then went on to work.
Perrysburg N. Y. Dec. 26. 1932. Mon.
I worked as watchman at Munch
tannery. Gowanda. N.Y.
Perrysburg. N.Y. Year ending. 1932. Sat.
Alice and I set up and watched the Old
Year out and the New Year in.

Year of 1933.

Perrysburg. N. Y. Jan. 1. 1933 Sun.
We motored to Warren Pa. to visit my sister Charlotte & family. We left here at eleven thirty A. M.

Perrysburg. N. Y. Jan. 2. 1933. Mon.
We arrived home from Warren Pa at five thirty P. M. We had very nice weather both ways. Nice and warm like spring. Not any snow.

Perrysburg. N. Y. Jan. 4. 1933. Wed.
Fair and warm. Not any snow.

Perrysburg. N. Y. Mar. 16. 1933. Thur.
Got front tooth broke off while working at Munch tannery Gowanda. N. Y. Earl Benton of Gowanda hit me in mouth with ~~handel~~ handle of 36 in pipe wrench accidentally.

Perrysburg. N.Y. Mar. 22. 1933. Wed.
Cold. Stormy day. Snowing.

Perrysburg. N.Y. April. 3 1933. Mon.
I traded in my 1928 Cevrolet Sedan for
1929 Cevrolet Coach. Carmilage 19340

Perrysburg. N.Y. April. 16. 1933. Easter Sun.
I was gate watchman at Munch
tannery Gowanda. N.Y.
Marcel Lang & Family motored
here from their home in Smith-
port. Pa. in P.M. Alice and children
went back with them in P.M.
I was alone all wek. Sat night
April. 22. 1933. I went to Hazelhurst
Pa. after Alice & Children. We
returned home Sun. evening. April. 23. 33.

Perrysburg N. Y. May. 31, 1933. Wed.
Received from J. W. Besch, Gowanda
N. Y. One 3 piece parlor suite, Price $79.00
One 9x12 Axminster rug. Price, $26.50
One Congoleum rug. 9x12, Price. 6.90

Perrysburg. N. Y. May. 30. 1933. Tue.
(Decoration day)
I worked all day in Munch tannery
Gowanda. N. Y.

Perrysburg. N. Y. May. 28. 1933. Sun.
My Thirty fifth birth day. I
worked all day as gate watch-
man at Munch tannery Gowanda. N. Y.

Perrysburg. N. Y. June. 17. 1933. Sat.
Mr John Stolz died at 10:10. A. M.
From gangrene in the foot.

Perrysburg. N. Y. June. 17. 1933. Sat.
Alice and I bought new shoes.

Perrysburg. N. Y. Aug. 28. 1933. Mon.
We went to the Erie Co.
fair at Hamburg N. Y. in the
evening.

Perrysburg. N. Y. Sept. 18. 1933. Mon.
The Moench Tannery at Gowanda
N. Y. went on the N. R. A. code.

Perrysburg, N.Y. Nov. 4, 1933.
Milton Raymond died from Stroke at Warren Pa.
Buried Nov. 6, 1933 P.M. at Kasson Pa. Alice and I went to Funeral.

Perrysburg, N.Y. Nov. 30, 1933. Thurs.
This is Thanksgiving Day and we did not go any place. We had our dinner at 5.8 P.M. as I was gate watchman at the French Tannery Gowanda. N.Y. all day.
Weather: Not any snow. Cold wind all day with some Sunshine. I washed Car at Tannery.

Perrysburg. N. Y. Dec. 2. 1933. Sat.
Alice, children & Mr. Siegrist & daughter
Betty and Donald Stotz went in my car
to Buffalo. N.Y. to see Santa Clause
and Christmas things. Arrived
back home at 4. P. M.

Perrysburg. N. Y. Dec. 14. 1933. Thur.
Grandma DeGolyer died Dec. 12. 1933
Tuesday at 4:18 P. M. O'clock. in her
home at Mt. Jewett. Pa. R. F. D.

Dec. 31. 1933. Sunday.
Worked all day as watchman
at Munch Tannery Gowanda. N.Y.
Rained all day.

Year 1934.

New Year Day. Jan. 1. 1934. Mon.
I worked all day as watchman at Munch Tannery Gowanda N.Y. Rained most of day, turning to snow about 1:30 P.M.

Perrysburg. N.Y. Jan. 12. 1934. Fri.
We motored to Hazelhurst, Pa. stoping over night with Pearl and Mandl at Smethport. Pa. We went up to Hazelhurst Sat. morning. We got back home around Ten O'clock Sun. night. Roads were awful icy and we got in bad snow storm. Had hard time getting up Perrysburg hill.

Perrysburg. N.Y. Feb. 23. 1934. Fri.
Alice's birthday. We had birthday
party in evening for Alice and Mrs
John Stotz. Alice was 30 years old
and Mrs. Stotz 66 years old.
Those present Mr. + Mrs Henry
Seigrist, Henry Jr. George and
Betty Seigrist, Mr. + Mrs. Henry Stotz
Francis and Orvis Holdridge, and
our family. It was eight below zero
and quite windy. I got Alice a
card table + deck of cards for birthday.
Perrysburg. N.Y. Feb. 24. 1934. Sat.
Very cold and windy. I am not
working to day as it is my day off.

Perrysburg, N.Y. Jan. 21, 1934. Wed.
Mr & Mrs. Bailey of Gowanda N.Y. and Alice and I motored to Buffalo to do Cleaning & shopping. Left here at 9.P.M. Arrived in Buffalo. 10.10.A.M. Arrived home at 5.30. P.M.

Perrysburg, N.Y. April. 18. Wed. 1934.
Alice got her first permant wave. She went to Buffalo with Mr. & Mrs. Henry Stolz.

Perrysburg, N.Y. July, 4. 1934. Wed.
I worked all day as gate watchman at Munch tannery Gowanda. N.Y.
Alice's brother Edwin and family came here for the Fourth. We went to see fire works in evening at the State Asylum.

Perrysburg. N. Y. July. 5. 1934. Thurs.
Edwin & family left for there
home in New Castle Pa. at 3. P. M.

Perrysburg. N. Y. Sept. 4. 1934. Tues.
We all went to Niagara Falls.
We left here at 5:45 P. M. and got
back home at 12:45 A. M. Sept. 5-34
Mr. & Mrs. Eugene Bellows went
with us. This was the first
time the children seen the Falls.

Perrysburg. N. Y. Sept. 11. 1934. Tues.
I received my Pennsylvania
state bonus.

Perrysburg, N.Y. Sept. 22, 1934. Sat.
We motored to Dunkirk N.Y. in evening. Rained hard while we were on our way there. Also had flat tire on way there. Drove in to farmers barn and fixed tire.

Perrysburg. Oct. 20, 1934. Sat.
We finished digging potatoes. We got 29 bu. out of 4 bu. planted.
I bought new all wool Zipper jacket. Price $3.85. Jimmie got new pair high top shoes. $2.95
Maxine got new hat. 50¢

Perrysburg N.Y. Oct. 24. 1934. Wed.
I went to dentist. Had teeth cleaned and one back tooth pulled. I went to Dr. Glazier Tonawanda N.Y.

Perrysburg N.Y. Oct. 27. 1934. Sat.
First Snow of year 1934.

Perrysburg N.Y. Nov. 7. 1934. Wed.
Alice and I went to Buffalo in our car. We took Mrs Leigist and Mrs. Stotz with us. Mrs. Stotz only went as far as Eden N.Y. Alice and Mrs Leigist got permanent waves. I went to Hippodrome picture show. It rained all day.

Perrysburg. N. Y. Nov. 17. 1934. Sat.
Alice, the children and I motored to Warren Pa. to see Charlotte and family. We left at noon and left at 9 1/2 P.M. Arrived home 11:15 P.M. Had a nice trip and no hard luck.

Perrysburg. N. Y. Dec. 3. 1934. Mon.
I got "Bolton Model" rupture belt from Armer drug store Gowanda. N.Y.

Perrysburg. N. Y. Dec. 31. 1934. Mon.
I worked all day at the Moench tannery at Gowanda N.Y. I worked with John Mently, we put steel pipe railing on stair way. Got through work a 4:30 P.M.

In the evening Alice and I played cards with Mr. & Mrs. Henry Stotz and Mr. & Mrs. Henry Seigrist. Mrs John Stotz was also present.

Year. "1935" Year

Jan. 1, 1935. Tues. 7:16. P.M.
I worked as gate watchman from 8 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. at the Moench tannery at Gowanda N.Y.
It has been a very stormy day. Snowing and blowing all day.

Perrysburg. N.Y. Feb. 20. 1935. Wed.
I finished my first rug. 12 0 P.M.

Perrysburg. N.Y. Mar. 26, 1935. Wed.
I traded in my Old 1929 Chev. coach for a 1930 Chev. Coach. for my Dodge car and $55.00 25777 mileage.
Sold 1930 Chev. April 16, 1937. Dodge car 5450 miles

Perrysburg. N.Y. Mar. 22. 1935. Fri.
We left here at 6 P.M. to motor to
Smethport Pa. Mar 23. 9. M. We
went to Hazel hurst. Pa. Got back
home Mar. 23. about 11. P.M

Perrysburg. N.Y. April. 3. 1935. Wed.
We bought Maxine. her fair
bed outfit. We bought it. from
J. W. Besch, Gowanda N.Y. Price
25.-25-

Perrysburg. N.Y. April. 6. 1935. Sat.
Mr. + Mrs. Eugene Belly and Alice.
I went to Moose Hall. We had
a fish lunch and danced.

Perrysburg. N.Y. July. 4. 1935. Thurs.
I worked all day as watchman at the
Moench tannery Gowanda N.Y.

Perrysburg. N.Y. April. 19. 1935. Fri.
Jimmie got sick with Scarlet fever.

Perrysburg. N.Y. May. 2. 1935. Thur.
Quarantine was taken off.

Perrysburg. N.Y. May. 28. Tue. 1935
My 37th birthday. Alice had suprise party in evening for me. It was my first birthday party.

Perrysburg. N.Y. May. 30. 35. Thur.
I worked all day as gate watchman at Moench Tannery Gowanda N.Y. In evening went to Donkey ball game at Gowanda.

Perrysburg. N.Y. July. 5. 1935. Fri.
We motored to Easter City. Pa.
and Hazelhurst. Pa. Came back
home evening of July. 6. 1935.

Hazelhurst. Pa. July. 6. 1935. Sat.
We sold house and lot in
Hazelhurst to Ward Lang.

Perrysburg. N. Y. July. 20. 1935. Sat.
Sister Debia + family from Easter
City Pa. spent Sat. night with
us. Went back home Sun. July. 21.

Perrysburg. N. Y. Nov. 2. 1935. Sat.
We moved from the Stotz farm on Perrysburg road. We started moving at ten thirty P. M. Riley Ross of Gowanda moved us.

Gowanda N. Y. Nov. 2. 1935 Sat.
We moved in O'Dell house on Rosenburg road 12:30. P. M.

Gowanda. N. Y. Nov. 28. 1935. Thur.
Thanksgiving Day. I worked as gate watchman at Moench tannery Gowanda N. Y.

Gowanda. N. Y. Dec. 25. 1935. Wed.
Christmas Day. I worked as gate watchman at Moench tannery Gowanda N. Y. Every thing is covered with snow.

Gowanda. N.Y. Dec. 25. 1935. Wed.
I worked all day at gate watchman at Moench tannery Gowanda. N.Y.
We had a very good Xmas. My Mother was with us. We all had a good Xmas. supper.

Dec. 31. 1935. Tue.
I worked in machine shop at Moench tannery Gowanda N.Y.

Year. "1936."

Jan. 1. 1936. Wed. Gowanda. N. Y.
I worked as gate watchman at Moench tannery Gowanda. N.Y.
We had early supper and at 5:30. P.M. we got car and left for Hazelhurst. Pa. We had to take my Mother to Sister Evelyn as Evelyn is sick and Mother went to take care of her. It was cold driving but the roads ~~otal~~ were not bad.
We arrived at Hazelhurst 8:50. P.M.
We stayed with Pearl + Ward all night.

Jan. 2. 1936. Thur.
We visited our relatives in Hazelhurst. Pa We had dinner with Alice's Mother. One P.M. We started for home. Stoping on way to

visit Alice's sister Mildred and brother Howard and My wife Celia. We arrived back home in Gowanda at 5:45 P.M. Had very nasty driving on way home. It rained and froze as fast as it came down. We were all glade to get home safe and right side up.

Gowanda. N.Y. Jan. 3. 1936. Fri.
I worked in Machine shop at Moench tannery Gowanda. N.Y.
I am riding to work with Lyle Brown.

Gowanda. N.Y. Jan. 22. 1936. Wed.
We bought wood burning stove from Mr. Gamp. We used it this evening for the first time.

Gowanda N.Y. May. 17. 1936. Sun.
January beam house roof fell in at 8:30 A.M. On account of too much snow on it. I just got out from under it when it went down. We got the most snow to day that we have had all winter. It was 14 inches deep at 4. P.M.

Gowanda. N.Y. Mar. 21. 1936. Sat.
This is my day off from work. It has been snowing very very hard all day. We went to town this A.M. and the snow was so deep we could hardly drive car through. Traffic is just about tied up.

Gowanda. N.Y. May. 28. 1936. Thur.
This is my birthday. I worked all day at the Moench tannery Gowanda N.Y. Alice got me a new suit of pajamas and a new pair socks. Got a card from Mother and Charlotte. Alice also made a nice birthday cake. It has been pretty cold to day.

Gowanda. N.Y. Rosenburg Hill. July. 4. 36. Sat.
I worked all day as gate watchman at Moench tannery Gowanda. N.Y. Alice & Children stayed home. The following named people spent the day with us. Alice's Mother & brother Merle. Her sister Mildred, husband & daughter Bonny. Went to State hospital fire works in Evening.

Gowanda. N.Y. Rosenburg Hill. July. 7. Tue. 1936
My Sister Charlotte from Warren Pa
came and she brought her two boy
Paul Jr. & Jack. Mary Himes & Mildred
DeGolyer. They went home Sat. July 10.36.

Gowanda. N.Y. Rosenburg Hill. July. 18. 1936. Sat.
Earl bought his first bicycle from
a boy in Gowanda by the name Rolland Lice
Sat. Evening. He bought it with money
he earned himself, working for Walter
Strickland a neighbor farmer. Earl is
eleven years eleven months old.

Gowanda. N.Y. Aug. 5. 1936. Wed.
We went to Crystal Beach. Canada.
Mr. & Mrs. Eugene Belley of Gowanda
went with us. We went to Buffalo in
Mr. Belley's car. We had a very good time

Gowanda, N. Y. Aug. 27, 1936. ~~Fri.~~ Thur.
This is Earl's birthday. He is 12 yrs. old. At 7 P. M. we took him to see Dr. Allen. He said he would have to have tonsils & adenoids out.

Gowanda N. Y. Aug. 28, 1936. Fri.
Alice took Bud to hospital at 9:30 A. M. Was operated on at 9:45 A. M. He came out all right and is doing fine. Brought him home this evening at 6:30 O'clock.

Gowanda N. Y. Aug. 30, 1936. Sun.
The following named people ~~here~~ were here to visit us. Mr. & Mrs. Edwin Warfle & children of Raw City, Pa. Mr. & Mrs. Howard Warfle & child of Hazelhurst Pa. Mrs Norman Warfle, Merle Warfle. Earl Warfle of Hazelhurst Pa.

"over"

Mr. + Mrs. Pat Peterson + child. Mt. Jewett Pa. Mr. + Mrs. Marcel Lang + children of Hazel Hurst Pa. Mr. + Mrs. Ray Bills + Children of Clarion Pa. Bl visitors counting children

Gowanda. N. Y. Sept. 8, 1936. Tue.
Alice started to work in Main Dinner. Lunch car. as cook. She is getting One dollar a day.

Gowanda. N. Y. Oct. 12, 1936 Mon.
First snow!

Gowanda. N. Y. Nov. 26, 1936. Thur.
Thanksgiving Day. I worked all day in machine shop at the Molnick factory. Alice worked all day cooking at the Main Dinner.
My Mother cooked dinner for us. We had a chicken dinner at 5:30. P. M.

Gowanda. N.Y. Dec. 12. 1936. Sat.
We all went to Dunkirk N.Y. to do our Christmas shoping. Alice got new coat, dress, shoes + hat. Pauline got new dress. Jimmie got new jacket and I got new Mackinaw. My Mother was along.

Gowanda. N.Y. Dec. 25. 1936. Fri.
Christmas Day. I worked all day at gate watchman at the Moench tannery Gowanda. N.Y.
Alice worked all day cooking and baking at the "Main Dinner" Lunch car. Gowanda N.Y.
It was a very warm day. There was not any snow.
Gowanda N.Y. Dec. 27. 1936. Sun.
Temperature. 62 degrees. Rain in afternoon.

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Bought new [illegible] left " " "

Nov. 26, 1st. 1932. Put in qt of oil. 24535

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June. 9. 1933 " " " 20508.3 181 m.
June. 19 " " " " 20689 } 149 m.

16 - 2"x4"
14 sheets plaster board 32"x7'
2 - 14' fine trim board 12" O.C.
2 - 10' " " " 8" O.C.
1 - 14' " " " 8" O.C.
5 lb. 16 P. nails
3 lb. 7 P. finish nails.
Plaster board nails for 14
sheets of plaster board.

Observe 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. William De Golyer celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Sept. 10, 1972.

They were entertained by their children and their families at a dinner at the Vineyard in Dunkirk.

William and the former Alice Isabelle Warfle were married Sept 8, 1922 in Olean. They have three children, a daughter, Mrs. Thosmas Hart of North Tonawanda, and two sons, Carl and James of Fredonia; also eight grand children and one great-grand child.

Mrs. Hart, Rev. Spring Are Married

Dec. 27-74. Friday

Mr. and Mrs. William DeGolyer of Gowanda announce that the marriage of their daughter, Mrs. Thomas E. Hart of North Tonawanda, to the Rev. Everett F. Spring, minister of First United Methodist Church in North Tonawanda, took place Dec. 27 at 7 PM in the church.

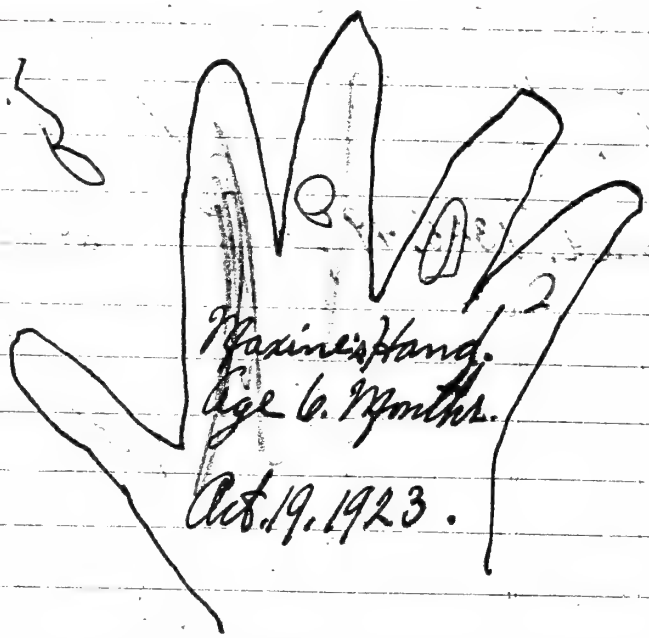
The Rev. Dr. Franklin M. Zentz, superintendent of Buffalo District of the United Methodist Church, performed the ceremony. Mrs. Jeffrey R. Krull was her mother's only attendant. Gary L. Spring was best man for his father.

Ushers were Mr. Krull, Clark McKissock and Gregory Meisenburg. A reception was given in the church fellowship hall.

Chairman Named

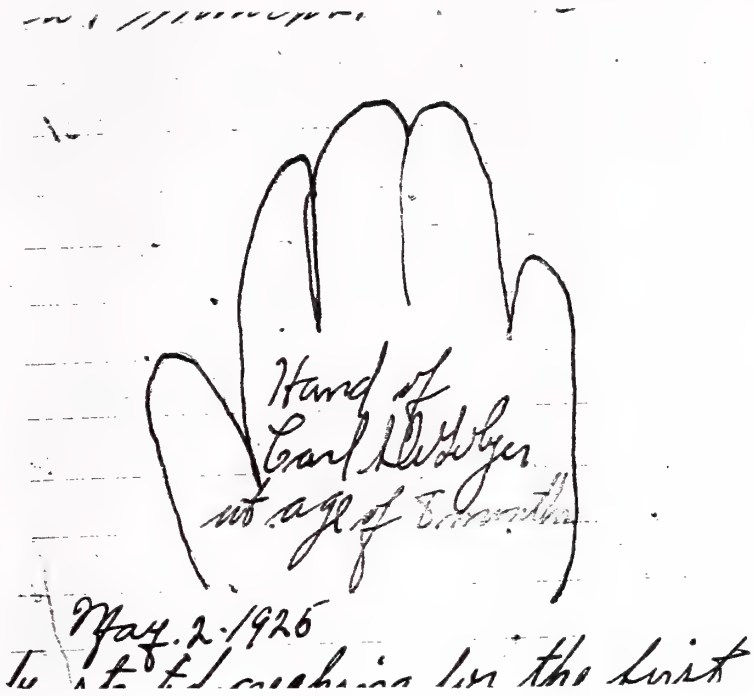
ster. Nov. 14 - 1964 Sat

Employees of the Maintenance Department at Moench Tanning Co., Inc., gave a dinner party Saturday evening at the Slovenian Club for the following retired employees: John Vehar, William DeGolyer, Erson Boller, Lester Franze, Hilbourne Swartzfager and B. Pratt. Gifts were pre-



Maxine's Hand.
Age 6. Months.
Oct. 19. 1923.

Cousin
Meda DeGolyer



4-H CLUB NEWS

The Gowanda and Perrysburg Girls 4-H Clubs held a pancake supper at the Gowanda Grange hall, Friday, Jan. 26, 1940.

County 4-H Agent Edward W. Cockram were present and helped. After the supper, Mr. Cockram showed three reels of colored movies of 4-H activities at the State Fair at Syracuse, which was very inspiring and interesting. He also took up several subjects pertaining to the projects for 1940.

The next regular meeting will be held February 16. All members are asked to be present.

A THREE-MINUTE SUMMARY *of the* REMARKABLE CAREER *of the* MOST FAMOUS YOUTH *in the* WORLD

February 4, 1902—Charles A. Lindbergh born at Detroit, Mich.
September, 1910—Entered the Force School, Washington, D. C., while his father was a Minnesota Congressman.
1912—Saw an airplane for the first time, near Washington.
June, 1918—Graduated from Little Falls, Minn., High School.
September, 1920—Matriculated at the University of Wisconsin in mechanical engineering.

1922

February—Left the University to enroll in flying school at Lincoln, Neb.
April 9—Took his first airplane ride.
May 25—Ready to "solo" but unable to furnish necessary bond to insure against damaging plane.
June—Made his first "double parachute jump" while on a "barnstorming trip" in Nebraska with another aviator.

1923

April—Bought his first plane—a Government "Jenny"—at Americus, Ga., for $500. In it he took his first "solo" flight the next day. A week later started a cross-country flight to Minnesota. At Meridian, Miss., he took his first passenger up for $5.

1924

March 19—Enlisted as a Flying Cadet at Brooks Field, San Antonio, Texas.
May 30—Scattered his father's ashes over the family's Minnesota farm.
September—Transferred to Kelly Field, San Antonio.

1925

November—Enlisted in the 110th Observation Squadron of the 35th Division, Missouri National Guard, and commissioned a First Lieutenant.

1926

April 15—Made his first flight as an air mail pilot, from Chicago to St. Louis.
September—Idea of a trans-oceanic flight came to him one night while piloting his mail plane.
December—Went to New York to father data on a flight to Europe.

1927

February 28—Went to San Diego, Cal., to order "The Spirit of St. Louis."
May 10—Took off from San Diego for St. Louis at 3:55 p.m. on the first leg of "the greatest flight in history."
May 11—Arrived at Lambert Field, St. Louis, at 8:20 a.m.—14 hours and 25 minutes after leaving San Diego.
May 12—Left at 8:13 a.m. for New York. Arrived, Curtiss Field, L. I., at 5:33 p.m.
May 20—TOOK OFF FOR PARIS FROM ROOSEVELT FIELD AT 7:52 A.M.
May 21—AT 10 P.M. (5 P.M. NEW YORK TIME) CAUGHT HIS FIRST GLIMPSE OF THE LIGHTS OF PARIS. LANDED LE BOURGET FIELD 10:24 P.M.
May 27—Visited Brussels, Belgium.
May 31—Received by King George and Queen Mary of England.
June 11—Arrived in Washington amid wild welcome.
June 12—Made a Colonel and given Distinguished Flying Cross by President Coolidge.
June 13—New York welcomed him in unparalleled fashion.
June 16—Received the $25,000 Raymond Orteig prize for his flight.
June 17—Hopped off for St. Louis to bring its "Spirit" home.
June 18—Lindbergh air mail stamps issued.
July 20—Left Mitchel Field, L. I., to begin the Guggenheim tour of 75 U. S. cities in the interests of aviation.
November 13—Had the honorary degree of Master in Science of Aeronautics bestowed upon him by St. Joseph's College, Philadelphia—his first honorary degree.
November 14—Presented by President Coolidge with the Hubbard Gold Medal of the National Geographic Society—the eighth to receive the award in more than 40 years.
December 10—The National House of Representatives passed by acclamation a resolution to award him the Congressional Medal of Honor.
December 13—Left Washington 12:28 p.m. for Mexico City.
December 14—Arrived Mexico City 2:39 p.m. (4:39 p.m. Washington time).
December 22—His mother arrives to spend Christmas with him after an airplane trip from Detroit.
December 28—"The Ambassador of Good Will" leaves Mexico City to visit Guatemala, British Honduras, Honduras, Salvador, Costa Rica, Nicaragua, Panama, Colombia, Venezuela, Virgin Islands, Santo Domingo, Haiti, Porto Rico and Cuba.

1928

February 13—Left Havana 2:27 a.m. for St. Louis.
February 13—Arrived St. Louis 5:01 p.m. (6:01 pm. Havana time).

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